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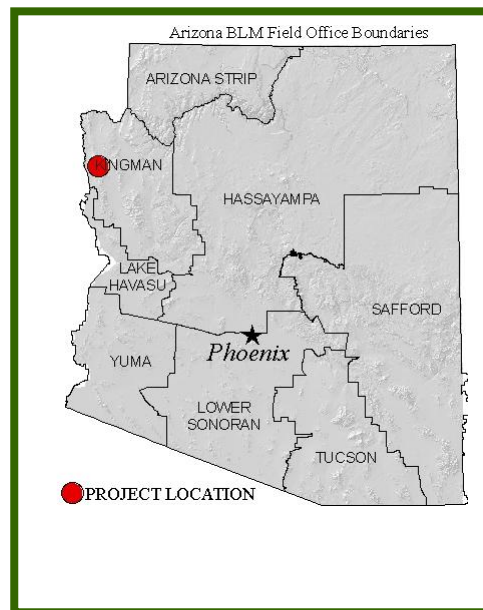
Great West Mine Project

Need

The Great West Mine, located approximately 35 miles northeast of Kingman, Arizona, falls within the Bureau of Land Management's (BLM) Colorado River District in Mojave County. The mine's exposed shafts and adits pose a high risk to public safety at this time. This project will install access barriers and fencing to reduce public safety risks and to protect sensitive cultural resources and wildlife habitat.

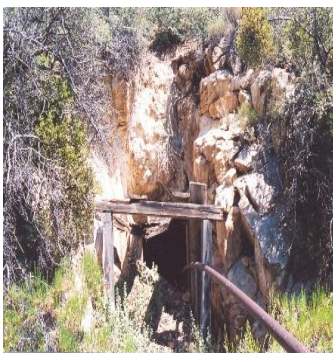
Recovery Act Funding

The BLM-Arizona competitively awarded the contract for this project to the Xcavation Company for \$18,600 as part of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA). This project was successfully completed at the end of April, 2010.



Benefits

This reclamation work has closed dangerous shafts and adits preventing entry by the public and mitigating the public safety hazard. The fabrication and installation of bat gates and cupolas will also preserved bat habitat in abandoned mine workings. This will allow the public to have safe recreation opportunities on public lands administered by the BLM.



More Information

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